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In compliance with 37 CFR §1.56 and in accordance with  
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 references listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08A be made of  
 record in this application. Copies of the references are  
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In accordance with 35 CFR §§1.97(g) and (h), the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement shall not be construed as a representation that a search has been made or that the information is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR §1.56(b).

All of the references provided herewith were cited by Applicants in the accompanying Amendment and Response in support of their arguments against the Examiner's rejection of the claims on the grounds of nonenablement. These documents are submitted under 35 CFR §1.97(c), i.e., before the mailing date of a final Action. Accordingly, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fee under 37 CFR §1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 23-1703. Any other fee which may be due for any reason may likewise be charged.

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